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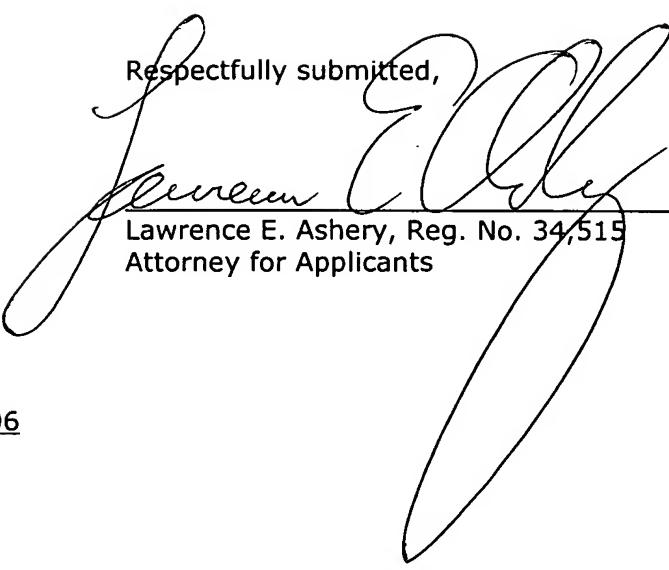
The Abstract has been amended. A revised Abstract is attached.

ABSTRACT

~~There are provided a disk holding apparatus capable of achieving thinner-sized formation than in a background art and a disk changer apparatus having the disk holding apparatus.~~

In a disk holding apparatus 50—including a tray for mounting a disk D, a turn table 51—rotated by ~~a rotation driver driving means~~ 52, a disk hole inserting portion 56—for taking out the disk from the tray to mount on the turn table 51, and a projected portion 58—for fixing the disk D on the turn table 51, the disk hole inserting portion 56—is inwardly inserted to be able to move up and down in a direction orthogonal to a face of mounting the disk D at inside of the turn table 51, and an inner portion of the disk hole inserting portion 56—is contained with a screw member 57—for converting a rotational force from the rotation ~~driver driving means~~ 52 to a force of vertically moving up and down the disk hole inserting portion 56.

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ABSTRACT

In a disk holding apparatus including a tray for mounting a disk D, a turn table rotated by a rotation driver, a disk hole inserting portion for taking out the disk from the tray to mount on the turn table, and a projected portion for fixing the disk D on the turn table, the disk hole inserting portion is inwardly inserted to be able to move up and down in a direction orthogonal to a face of mounting the disk D at inside of the turn table, and an inner portion of the disk hole inserting portion is contained with a screw member for converting a rotational force from the rotation driver to a force of vertically moving up and down the disk hole inserting portion.